IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD

SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION No. 8346 of 1998

With

SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION No. 9747 of 1998

With

SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION No. 10894 of 1998

With

SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION No. 625 of 1999

With

SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION No. 5490 of 1999

With

SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION No. 774 of 1999

For Approval and Signature:

HON'BLE MR JUSTICE KS JHAVERI

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1 Whether Reporters of Local Papers may be allowed to see the judgment ?

2 To be referred to the Reporter or not ?

3 Whether their Lordships wish to see the fair copy of the judgment ?

4 Whether this case involves a substantial question of law as to the interpretation of the constitution of India, 1950 or any order made thereunder ?

5 Whether it is to be circulated to the civil judge ?

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OSMANBHAI HASAMBHAI & 4 - Petitioner(s)

Versus

PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OFFOREST & 2 - Respondent(s)

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Appearance :
MR PH PATHAK for Petitioner No(s).: 1.
Advocate Name None for Petitioner No(s).: for Petitioner No(s).: 2,3,4,5.

MR KL PANDYA AGP for Respondent No(s).: 1, 2,3.
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CORAM : HON'BLE MR JUSTICE KS JHAVERI

Date : 18/07/2005

ORAL JUDGMENT

1.0 The petitioners herein have prayed for directing the respondent authorities to extend the benefits of the Government Resolution dated 17.10.1988 and of the award of the Industrial Tribunal.

2.0 It is stated that in view of the Full Bench decision of this Court in the case of Gujarat Forest Producers, Gatherers & Forest Workers Union v. State of Gujarat reported in 2004 (1) G.L.R. pg.1488 [2004 (2) G.L.H. pg.302] and in the case of G.R.A.A. Karmachari Sangh v. State reported in 2005 (1) G.L.R. pg.135, the appropriate remedy for the petitioners is to approach the Labour Court for redressal of their grievance.

3.0 Accordingly, it is directed that the petitioners shall approach the Labour Court praying for appropriate relief within a period of three months from today.

Interim relief granted by this Court shall continue till References are preferred by the petitioners. The petitions stand disposed of accordingly. Rule is discharged with no order as to costs.

(K. S. JHAVERI, J.)

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